

**IN THE SPECIFICATION:**

The specification as amended below with replacement paragraphs shows added text with underlining and deleted text with ~~striketrough~~.

Please REPLACE the paragraph beginning at page 14, line 4, with the following paragraph:

Next, an operation of detecting the location of the non-contact IC card 50 will be described. Fig. 10 illustrates the operation of detecting the location of the non-contact IC card 50. In Fig. 10, reference numeral 20 indicates the non-contact IC card reader/writer device, and reference numeral 50 indicates the non-contact IC card. Also, the four antennas 22 through 25 and the corresponding matching circuits ~~44-45~~44-45 through ~~44-48~~44-48 are arranged on the plane of the mouse pad 21 of the non-contact IC card reader/writer device 20.